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3. **Download Overdrive Media Console.** On your iPad desktop, tap your blue App Store icon. Enter your Apple ID information to log in. Now, search "Overdrive Media Console" in the search bar. Tap the return key on your touch screen keyboard. Tap the first result. Now tap the button underneath the logo that says "Free". Tap it again when it turns into "Install". Wait for the download and installation to complete. Exit out of the App Store.
4. **Launch Overdrive Media Console** by tapping the Overdrive icon in your list of apps.
5. Read the information screen next for some helpful tips. Then, tap close. In the menu bar across the bottom of the screen, tap "App Settings".
6. Under eBook Options, enter your Adobe ID and your password, then tap "Authorize".
7. Now from your menu bar, tap "Get Books". Now tap "Add a Library". Enter Owen Sound in the search bar or browse for

libraries until you find the **Owen Sound & North Grey Union Public Library**. Tap on the star to save the "Ontario Library Service Download Centre" to Overdrive. You should only need to do this once.

8. Tap on the **Ontario Library Service Download Centre** to take you to the mobile website. You will need your library card next.

9. Tap Login. Select the **Owen Sound & North Grey Union Public Library** from the list. You will have to scroll all the way down to the O section. Once selected, enter your 14 digit library card barcode (with no spaces) into the new field and your pin, which is the last four digits of your phone number. Now tap login.

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